

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE SIGN DRAFT OF CONTRACT ORDER BY BOULTON

Newspaper Story Which Alleges Unauthorized Contract Indicates That City Hall Has No Record of Contract Requisitioned for Commissioners Themselves

While a great deal has been heard recently of the centralization of control at the city hall, a little incident which came to the surface Tuesday indicates that the central authority which directs the affairs of the city cannot keep back of what is doing in their own control office. In fact the incident in question shows that the commissioners are blaming ex-Superintendent McNaughton for something which they did themselves, and while McNaughton is not directly accused of graft, the story emanating from the commissioners' office leaves room for the inference that McNaughton's action was altogether irregular.

In the bulletin and Journal of Tuesday a story from the commissioners' office was published in which it was stated that ex-Superintendent McNaughton had given without authorization a contract to Andrew Dunlop to haul coal from the cars at the power house siding to the furnaces, at a rate of 25 cents a ton.

The present superintendent of the power plant, Deereveter, was quoted in the newspaper story as saying that the price was twice too high and that the city was losing money on the job. Further, that he could not find where the contract had been authorized.

Commissioner Butchart, by giving out the story, practically corroborated the report of the power house superintendent, but to be sure that there was no misunderstanding on this reporting, the Capital put the question direct to Commissioner Butchart. "Did this commission have any authority for the hauling of coal by Mr. Dunlop at the power house?" was the question asked.

"I have been unable to find that any authority was given," was the reply. From this it appears that the power house superintendent and the commissioner were both in ignorance of any contract, and were making a good

deal of political capital of what they believed to be the fact that no authority had ever been given.

An investigation of the affair by the Capital shows that not only does a contract exist between the city and Andrew Dunlop, but that the requisition bears the signature of A. V. Boulton and the contract was made under his express orders.

The circumstances arose in this way. Previous to last September the coal at the power house was hauled by teams employed by day labor, at an approximate cost of 35 cents a ton. Representations were made to Commissioner Butchart by Superintendent McNaughton and D. McDougall, accountant of the power plant, that the city could save money by letting a contract to haul coal to the power house to a contractor.

In such cases it is usual for the commissioners' office to issue a requisition, although for reason not apparent, somewhat delayed, was issued on November 15, 1910, bearing the signature of the commissioner, the superintendent, and the name of the contractor, indicating that the contract was with the full knowledge of the commissioners' office and that the authorization came direct from Commissioner Butchart.

The requisition reads as follows: "Covering Requisition for Coal Hauling. A duplicate for terms and notes necessary to handle 200,000 tons of coal to make up difference between consumption and deliveries by the Ritchie and Standard Coal Companies."

Rate 25c per ton, checked by city's representative, and available at this time. The requisition was signed by A. V. Boulton, Commissioner, and P. McNaughton, Superintendent.

BIG SUM IS PAID FOR OIL LEASES

Morinville Interests Pay Rentals on 71,000 Acres of Land, Amounting to \$17,760.

Nearly eighteen thousand dollars in rentals on old lands in the Morinville district was paid over the land office yesterday afternoon by the Morinville oil interests.

The exact amount paid was \$17,760. This pays yearly leases on the oil rights on 71,000 acres of land recently acquired by the oil interests operating in the Morinville field. The land is close to the town of Morinville.

The money was paid over in 37 checks of \$480 each. This is all outside capital brought in from Vancouver to pay the leases on the land. It brings the total rentals now paid by the Morinville interests up to over \$30,000, which has been paid in cash over the counter at the land office.

Oil may be struck at any moment at several wells. That is the position at present.

The American-Canadian Company are drilling through a sand rock formation, and every day are getting indications of oil. When the drill penetrates this rock formation, a gusher of oil is expected.

The American-Canadian Company are not selling any stock themselves, all of their stock having been sold out by them some years ago.

PACKING PLANT BURNS.

Chicago, March 30.—Fire in the Chicago stock yards to-night destroyed the Harry Boers and Co. packing plant and several other buildings, with a loss of \$50,000.

WILL BANQUET DR. DYDE.

Kingston, March 30.—A complimentary banquet will be given by the citizens to Rev. Dr. Dyde, principal-clerk of the New Presbyterian Theological college at Strathcona, Alberta. Dr. Dyde will be presented with a cabinet of silver.

WEALTHY FARMERS TAKING C.P.R. LAND

Seven Britishers Settle Near Viking—C. P. R. Preparing to Settle Their Land in This Section.

After locating a party of wealthy British farmers on C. P. R. land near Viking, G. E. Norwood, C. P. R. colonization agent, returned to the city this morning.

Mr. Norwood took seven Britishers to Viking where they purchased land in sections blocks. Several other parties will be brought to the settlement. The Canadian Pacific land department have opened their first office on the G. T. P. at Viking, and are inaugurating an active campaign to settle all their land in this end of the province.

LARGE AMOUNT OF MARL AVAILABLE

Million Dollar Edmonston Cement Co. Will Have Twice Amount of Marl Than at First Estimated.

That there is twice the amount of marl available for their enterprise than was at first anticipated, was the statement made this morning by Alan Holmes, who is promoting a million dollar company to develop marl beds west of Edmonston on the Grand Trunk.

Mr. Holmes returned last night from an inspection of the property. The expert engineers who he took with him will return to-night. The marl is located at Biederke, 20 miles west of Edmonston.

GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC WILL ERECT \$750,000 HOTEL ON McDougall

WORK ON LANDING LINE STARTS SOON

A. R. Mann of the Northern Construction Company Reaches City to Look Over the Work.

Construction on the Canadian Northern railway line to Athabasca Landing is to be resumed shortly.

For the purpose of looking over the ground, A. R. Mann, one of the heads of the Northern Construction Company, with C. V. Campbell, superintendent of the company, reached the city this morning, and are to-day driving out over the line. They will return on Saturday evening, and will be guests at the Alberta.

A. R. Mann is a partner of Arch. MacKenzie in the Northern Construction Company. This company, in addition to completing the Landing Line and other branch lines of the G. N. R. in the west, this year, will build 240 miles of the main line from Vancouver east. The contract was awarded to them some weeks ago.

There is a stretch of about 30 miles yet to be completed on the Landing Line, and this is to be finished, and the steel laid this year.

REMANDED FOR SENTENCE

A St. Patrick's night celebration in Strathcona formed an opportunity for pilfering, of which Joseph Smith and Jas. Madams took advantage, as the aftermath of their little orgy of thieving was in the district court yesterday morning. The operators were convicted of the theft of articles of the total value of \$150. They were remanded for sentence until Saturday.

During his conversation with a Capital reporter yesterday, he made quite plain, that he at least, will not be satisfied unless some action has been taken during his term of office to set the undertaking of a new municipal building on its way, and if his ideas are carried out, the plans at least will be completed this year for a handsome structure which will cost an amount not far short of the million mark.

With a full city block, in the very heart of the city and facing on one of the handsomest avenues in Edmonton, reserved for the purposes of a city hall, namely that block bounded by McDougall, Rice, Queen's and Elizabeth, Mayor Armstrong believes that no time should be lost in getting a city hall under way. He is fully in accord with the scheme several times advanced of placing the municipal building in the center of the block, with gravelled walks and boulevard paths, and carefully planned gardens surrounding the building. He believes that the building should be in accord with the public buildings of the capital, that it should be one that would do justice to the capital of the Province. He believes that it is a building which should not be undertaken without the fullest consideration of plans, that an expert in municipal structures should be engaged.

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Railway Company Will Take Up Options and Erection May be Commenced Soon

ASK THE CITY COUNCIL FOR SOME CONCESSIONS

Officials Met Council in Conference This Morning—Hotel Will be Most Modern in West—G.T.P. and C.N.R. Will Have Union Station

A \$750,000 hotel of the most modern type will be erected by the Grand Trunk Pacific in Edmonton within the near future. The structure will go up on the Grand View hotel property, on which the railway company have an option till May.

This is the announcement made, following a conference this morning between W. P. Hinton, general passenger agent of the railway, D'Arcy Tate, general solicitor of the railway, and the city council, at which the railway officials asked for certain concessions from the city for the new hotel. A definite arrangement regarding these will probably be reached at a further conference to be held this afternoon at five o'clock.

As forecasted in the Capital yesterday, the railway company is preparing to take up all their options on property on McDougall avenue, together with an option on the business, lease and license of the Grand View hotel.

The options are on the hotel property, fifty feet, owned by John McDougall of Calgary, and four lots owned by the Salvation Army in the rear of the Travis Barker property. The total value of the property is about \$125,000, and the options were taken last November by E. C. Dobell, of Edmonton.

It is understood that it is the intention of the railway company to erect a hotel that will cover the entire property, at a cost of not less than \$750,000. The hotel will be the most modern in the west, and will cater to the very highest class of trade. The site selected is the most ideal for the purpose in the city.

The officials and the city will confer shortly regarding the city's request that the G. T. P. take the north side instead of the south side of McKenzie avenue as a right of way for their lines from First to Twenty-first.

WILL HAVE UNION STATION.

The Grand Trunk Pacific will have a union station with the Canadian Northern in Edmonton. It has been practically agreed upon between the two roads, according to W. P. Hinton, that when a station is erected in the near future, it will be a union station for the two roads. Mr. Hinton told the Capital this morning that there was no announcement as yet to make regarding a station.

ONTARIO BUSINESS MEN BUY BIG SUB-DIVISION

MESSRS. THOMPSON AND CLARKE OF ORILLIA, PURCHASE FOR \$125,000 THE REMAINING PORTION OF CITY PARK ANNEX.

Ontario capital to a large extent is being invested in Edmonton property. "The business men of Orillia, Ontario, two wealthy business men of Orillia, Ont., put a bid of \$125,000 worth of subdivision property close to the eastern limits of the city.

The deal included the sale by the McGrath-Holgate Co., of the unused portion of the city park annex, on Alberta avenue, 225 lots in all, for a total amount in the neighborhood of \$125,000. The Orillia men were introduced to the property by Messrs. Thompson and Clarke, who are well known real estate men in the city, who brought Messrs. Thompson and Clarke from the east to invest. The easterners are well satisfied with their purchase.

The city park annex corners on North street, where the city car line turns off Alberta avenue to the packing plant. The property is served with car line for 100 feet, and has a mile of it fronts on Alberta. It is also served with sewer and water, and a school house to suit across Alberta avenue from the property.

SETTLE WESTERN SALARY PROBLEM

Toronto, March 30.—The minimum standard of stipend for ministers of the Presbyterian church fixed by the general assembly will be paid this coming year if the augmentation committee now in session here is able to raise \$63,000 for the work.

Last year the supplemented stipends were: Ontario and Quebec, \$850, and \$925; British Columbia, \$925; Saskatchewan and Alberta, \$925; and \$1,000; Manitoba, \$1,000; and \$1,000; British Columbia, \$1,000.

MEDICAL HEALTH OFFICER FAVORS PURE FOOD LAW

WILL SUBMIT A REPORT TO COUNCIL NEXT TUESDAY EVENING RECOMMENDING THAT BY-LAW BE PASSED AND A FOOD INSPECTOR APPOINTED.

The need for a pure food bylaw, and a food inspector to enforce its provisions, was the subject of conversation this morning between Dr. Whitelaw, medical officer of health, and a Capital representative. Dr. Whitelaw has been asked by the council to submit further information in regard to this reform, and at the regular meeting of the council on Tuesday evening next, he will submit in detail the proposals of the board of health.

The inspection of bake shops and bread wagons as to all phases of handling and deliveries, should, said the doctor, be made as one of the duties of the food inspector, who would be appointed to enforce a pure food bylaw. In addition, he should inspect all confectionery shops and retail butcher shops—all concerns of this character where overlapping with government inspectors would not be involved.

This morning the health officer pointed out that in all large centres of population, methods of preparation and the handling of different food products by the retailer, render it possible for the food to be adulterated with or without the consent of the middleman. The products, if not rendered positively innocuous, are dangerous, and are frequently at least less pure than the food. The customer is, in fact, and wholesome than they otherwise able to obtain at least pure and wholesome food than the price paid by him entitles him to.

"The public are entitled to a square deal," said the doctor, "and it is the duty of the governing bodies to see that they get it."

He did not suggest that dishonesty was practiced, but pointed out that inspection of the kind proposed would prevent the best guarantee of the honest dealer against unfair competition on the part of his trade rivals. Because inspection was proposed, no aspersion on the character of the merchants was intended.

The inspector should also act as veterinary surgeon for city horses, and apply the luncheon test, when desired, in behalf of the local owners of cows, the citizens who retain one or two cows for the milk supply. The appointment of an inspector to the food inspection might be made necessary if this course were decided upon, but Dr. Whitelaw believes that the cost of this year than ever before, and veterinarians' fees will reach a considerable total.

SASKATOON TALKS OF CHURCH UNION

Methodist and Presbyterian Churches Discuss Practical Scheme—Six Churches to Unite.

Saskatoon, Sask., March 30.—Progress was made towards the consummation of a practical scheme of church union between the Methodist and Presbyterian communities in Saskatoon at a meeting held last evening of the six churches in the city. The idea of the projected union is that the building problem waiting in the six churches could be met by the creation of three large edifices in the district sections of the city, instead of six smaller ones. A cordial and unanimous spirit was generally expressed toward the project, although the appointment of a committee of twelve to further discuss the matter was deferred to the meeting of Rev. W. W. Abbott, of Third Avenue Methodist church, that the church boards should select the selection of the representatives.

NEED MORE IMMIGRANTS Glasgow, March 30.—Sir George Reid, high commissioner for Australia, speaking here, announced that his government had decided on a scheme of assisted emigration. He urged British shipping owners to continue building up the Australian trade was going to stagger the world.

SHOULD START ON NEW CITY HALL THIS YEAR SAYS MAYOR

Mayor Armstrong Believes Plans Should be Ordered Soon for Structure to Cost Close to a Million, and Provide Accommodation for Fifteen Years

Edmonton needs a new city hall. Rather, it should be said merely that Edmonton needs a city hall, for the brick pile at the corner of Rice and Fraser which the accommodation for the greater part of the civic staff of officials, could hardly be dignified with the name of city hall.

Furthermore, Edmonton needs a city hall, at the very earliest date, as a building big enough for future as well as present needs, can be completed. Since the erection of such a building would require a term of at least five years, a common sense measure, that would place the centre of the city on this year pass without taking steps to put the undertaking on a permanent basis.

This is the earnest opinion of Mayor Armstrong, as expressed to The Capital yesterday afternoon. He believes that a beautiful architectural pile of stone and brick, the best of the best of architecture procurable could be put up, that would grace the centre of the city, and that the city council should not let this year pass without taking steps to put the undertaking on a permanent basis.

The idea of a new city hall, of a real city hall, has been much the matter of the action of the city council for some years back. The question has never been fully considered by any council, and it is only within the past few months that it has received the attention it deserves.

WHAT MAYOR ARMSTRONG THINKS OF NEW CITY HALL

"I believe that a new city hall is needed, and that that should be taken this year to have a new building started. It should not be less than \$500,000 and nearer \$1,000,000 should be the best plan. The house should be built on the city staff for fifteen years to come. It should be built in the centre of the square on McDougall, and an expert should be engaged to plan it."

"The house, at all events, should be started this year if possible. If nothing else is done, the plans should be complete this year. The policy of continually building temporary quarters is a far from economical one, and only means the burning of money that should be spent in a permanent and substantial structure."

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FINAL ARGUMENT IS SUBMITTED IN CASE OF GALLAGHER VS CITY

In his reply to the argument of W. L. Walsh, K. C. counsel for the city, the argument as submitted to Mr. Justice Stuart this morning, O. M. Biggar closes the case so far as the lawyers are concerned, and the issue now awaits the decision of the judge, unless the judge, who intimated during the course of the trial that he might find it necessary to call counsel before him again, considers this advisable.

On the course of his brief reply to the defendant's counsel, Mr. Biggar contends that the argument of the defence, that the action could only be constituted by the attorney-general, fails in that "the public of the province of Alberta has no interest what-soever in the action, and the interest is restricted to the ratepayers of the city of Edmonton, who are not the

public." Mr. Walsh's argument under this head was that a public right is alleged to have been infringed. In such cases, action can be taken only through the attorney-general. The decisions which Mr. Walsh cited in his argument, are, Mr. Biggar submits, irrelevant to the present action. Mr. Biggar challenges the contention of the defence, that a commissioner may be dismissed without notice being given and a hearing of complaints first having taken place. The decision of a Massachusetts court to the effect that a hearing is unnecessary, is held to be at variance with English law as stated by the House of Lords in the case of Orford vs. Nelson, and Mr. Biggar submits that the remedy is an ordinary writ of 1900, of the necessity for intervention by the Lieut.-Governor in

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FLORIDA SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Tallahassee, Fla., March 30.—An enthusiastic host of Sunday School workers rallied here today for the annual convention of the Florida State Sunday School association. At the formal opening of the gathering this afternoon the speakers included Governor Gilchrist and President H. B. Maitland of Jacksonville, together with an imposing array of educators representing all of the leading colleges and schools of Florida. At the subsequent sessions of the convention, which will last over tomorrow and Thursday, there will be addresses by several Sunday school experts of national reputation. Prof. E. O. Excell of Chicago, is in charge of the musical features of the programme.

MANIAC CAGED FOR THIRTY YEARS.

Chicago, Ill., March 30.—One of the most remarkable cases of kind that has come to the attention of the Lake county authorities in years was brought to light today when George Odett was tried for his sanity at his home near the town of Gurnee. It developed that Odett, a man of middle age, had been violently insane for thirty years and during the whole period had been kept confined in an iron-barred cage in his home. The recent death of his mother, who had taken care of him, caused his relatives to make application for his admission to a public institution.

DAKOTA JUDGE ON TRIAL

Bismarck, N. D., March 30.—The first impeachment trial that has taken place in this section of the country in many years convened here today to try Judge John F. Cowan, of the second judicial district of North Dakota. Articles of impeachment against Judge Cowan were filed with the legislature several weeks ago and that body immediately took the steps necessary to bring about a trial of the case. Eight charges have been brought against the defendant. The first trial is that of habitual drunkenness. The other charges relate to alleged acts in violation of the laws of the state, the alleged use of indecent language in public and various other offenses injurious to public morals.

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ALASKA COAL LAND CASES.

Seattle, Wash., March 30.—The first of the so-called Alaska coal land fraud cases, resulting from indictments returned by the Federal grand jury last fall, were called in court today for trial. The defendants are C. F. Munday, Archie W. Shields, Karl Sigley and Algeon S. Stracy. The charge against the four men is conspiracy to defraud the United States government out of Alaskan coal lands valued at more than \$1,000,000.

SAD MEMORIES

"But why do you cry so, Frau Mutter?"
"The sight of Vesuvius reminds me so of my poor dear Henry; he, too, was always smoking."—Flegende Blätter.

INTENT TO DEFRAUD ALLEGED.

Concord, N. H., March 30.—The cases of the United States against the Oxford Gold Mining Company and the Portland Fertilizer Company were called for trial in the Federal court here today. The companies are charged with using the United States mails with intent to defraud.

Newark, N. J., March 30.—The 74th annual session of the Newark M. E. conference began today in a central church in this city, with Bishop Henry W. Warren, of Denver, presiding. The pulpit charges, which are expected to be comparatively few this year, will not be announced until toward the close of the conference next week.

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COLUMBUS BRANDER AS FAKIR AND AN IMPOSTOR

FRENCH WRITER LIKENS FAMOUS DISCOVERER TO DR. COOK—SAYS COLUMBUS WAS A VERY UNGODLY MAN.

Paris, March 30.—Simultaneously with the erection of a colossal statue in honor of Christopher Columbus at Buenos Ayres will be published here on Saturday two volumes of a work by Henry Vignaud, former first secretary of the American Embassy, in which the discoverer of America is branded as an impostor and humbug and placed in a class with explorers like Dr. Cook. Mr. Vignaud retired from the American Embassy two years ago and has since devoted his entire time to the completion of a study of Columbus, which has consumed in all 50 years.

The author is now 81 years of age. He is celebrated as a historian and was recently consulted by the Pope when it was proposed to canonize Columbus. At that time Mr. Vignaud showed that the explorer was anything but a saintly man.

In his study of Columbus, Mr. Vignaud undertakes to prove that the explorer's discovery of America was the result of his own genius, that the expedition was not based upon scientific data, but that Columbus actually learned of the existence of America from an ignorant sailor who had been there ahead of him. He would, he claims, that America was discovered long before Columbus ever organized his expedition and that he merely took credit from another man unknown to history.

The story that Toscanelli wrote a letter to Columbus showing the route across the Atlantic

and that it was with this in hand that Columbus started out to find the new world, is disposed of by Mr. Vignaud. He declares that the Toscanelli letter was a forgery, perpetrated by Columbus himself, but more probably by the explorer's brother, Bartholomew Columbus.

Mr. Vignaud says that in 1471 a copy of the forged letter was found on a blank page of a book once the explorer's property. This is undoubtedly the Columbus writing says Mr. Vignaud. A facsimile of the document is published in Mr. Vignaud's work.

Mr. Vignaud further undertakes to prove that the map used by Columbus could not have come from Toscanelli, as it contained no indication of the existence of America, which would have been learned from actual experiences.

Mr. Vignaud says that Columbus not infrequently acted in a manner which would lead one to suspect him of deception; he says the explorer concealed the knowledge of his origin, that he concealed his knowledge of the existence of other admirals of the name of Columbus, though it had been discovered that the men in question were not even of his nationality, one being a Greek, and the other a Frenchman; that he boasted of having served under King Rene of Anjou, while modern critics prove that he did not; that he often referred to the wonderful voyages he made in his youth, while modern critics show these statements to be wholly untrue.

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to compile these plans, and that they should be made to call for a building of the very finest type, a building that would give Edmonton the name of possessing the handsomest as well as the most substantial and sensible city hall in the West.

That the city block which has been reserved by the council for this purpose, and which there is little danger will be appropriated for any other purpose, is the ideal site for the new city hall, goes without saying. It will be within a stone's throw of the post

office, and of the new provincial court house. It is believed also that the new Dominion Land Office may be erected on this street. The avenue is broad and well paved, and boulevardized, and is an ideal one for public buildings.

When the council comes to actually consider the proposal of a new city hall, as they must necessarily do in the very near future, the object that there will have in view is spaciousness and sufficient accommodation, at least for fifteen years. When the building is completed five years from now the city department staffs will be very much larger than they are at present, and the building will be required to be large enough for the needs of ten years more.

The chief object of consideration, therefore, will be accommodation, and cost will probably play a secondary part. The mayor is fully seized with the desirability of having a city hall that will be beautiful and worthy the name and the city, as well as spacious, and the amount to be spent he believes should be at least \$100,000, or would probably come nearer the million mark. As conditions are at present, the city staff will be required to occupy a number of buildings larger than all of the present city buildings combined.

In the new city hall, a total of at least 15 rooms will have to be provided, and possibly 100 rooms, for departmental purposes. Some of these will be small, but the majority of them will be general offices.

In the new building will be included the general city offices, the offices of the various departments, the offices of the assessor's department, the auditor's department, each of which will require large general office room, with one or two private rooms, the city engineer's offices, which will spread over several rooms, the electric light department, which will also require several large

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rooms, with one or two private rooms, the health department, with a general office, and one or two separate offices, the waterworks department, with the same accommodation, the secretary-treasurer's offices, several rooms.

There then will be the police department, which will of necessity occupy a separate wing of the building. This department particularly will require large quarters. There will have to be the general police office, with a police court room, quarters for the chief and the police magistrates, quarters for the men, police cells, and several other rooms, with additional quarters for the patrol.

This is a fairly comprehensive sum-up of the accommodation that will be needed in a new building, although it is almost impossible to make an exact estimate of what will be required.

FINAL ARGUMENT IS SUBMITTED IN CASE OF GALLAGHER VS. CITY

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order to effect the dismissal of a commissioner, strengthens the plaintiff's argument, "in removing this requirement it was surely not the intention to give the commissioner a tenure at the pleasure of three-fourths of the council," says Mr. Biggar. "And the defendant's argument involves reading out of

the section of the words 'for cause.' The argument under reply as to notice and hearing is noteworthy for its complete failure to deal with the cases cited in behalf of the plaintiff under this head. It is obvious that the requirements were not complied with by anything that was done by the council."

Disqualification of Aldermen.

As to the disqualification of Aldermen Mould and Grindley on the ground of interest, from voting on the dismissal of a commissioner, Mr. Biggar says:

"There is no doubt that the prohibition against aldermen holding shares in companies voting on questions affecting the company would not extend to cases where the companies are affected only in the same way as the rest of the inhabitants of the municipality are. There is abundant authority for this proposition."

Defendants' counsel does not attempt to contend that the interest of Gorman, Glancy and Grindley, Ltd., and the Standard Heating and Plumbing Co., Ltd., in the appointment or dismissal of a commissioner is different from that of any other inhabitant of the city.

Disqualification From Bias.

"The argument under reply," Mr. Biggar says, "omits to deal with Ald. Mould's position as a prosecutor, which obviously disqualifies him. It also completely overlooks that the issue is not whether or not Com. Bouillon will be dismissed, but whether Com. Bouillon is to be dismissed without being given a proper hearing, or can only be dismissed after a proper inquiry is held and some cause established. If an election is held, that will be the issue, not the issue suggested on the part of the defendants other than Meinty and Hyndman, as the defence of Ald. McKinley and Hyndman clearly indicate."

"As a matter of discretion, there could hardly, it is submitted, be a stronger case in favor of the plaintiff. The success failure of government by commission is at stake. The plaintiff does not contend that Com. Bouillon cannot be dismissed. His whole case is that the position of commissioner is necessarily and obviously under the statutes such that in order to have dismissal him certain proper proceedings must be taken and proper enquiry made. The result of an injunction as a matter of discretion would have the effect of altering what, it is submitted, is the statutory status not only of Com. Bouillon but of any commissioner who may succeed him in office. The question at issue is not a personal one. It is a broad question of principle which will continue to govern, it is hoped, the position of commissioner of the city of Edmonton for many years after the present commissioner has ceased to have any interest in the result of the action."

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Calgary, March 30.—Concerning Mount Royal College, the Rev. G. W. Kerby is a dreamer of dreams and a seer of visions. He sees a school of national scope; a school the establishment of which will eventually require \$1,000,000. And to this end he proposes an initial outlay approximating \$500,000. In a young country of such marvelous growth as Alberta there is no real reason why this should not be accomplished.

Mr. Kerby outlined his scheme before the board of trustees of the Mount Royal College. He began by giving a brief summary of his recent trip through the east. "On the trip, he visited nearly all the principal educational centres and looked closely into the problems confronting them. The question of co-education, and the result of his inquiry was that he found prejudice against it. The principal difficulties which have arisen with regard to it were owing to insufficient provisions for residence and choice of courses."

Mr. Kerby found a very strong feeling in favor of the residential system for schools.

A strong feature of his report was the advocacy of technical education and guidance of the child in the choice of his life's work.

One of the things which most impressed him in his investigations in the States than in the way in which men and women of wealth are coming forward.

MONIS WILL BE NO STRAW MAN

This Is Impression of European Correspondent as to New Leader.

London, March 30.—To all statesmen called to assume some prominent position, the general public looks for a distinctive characteristic by which it may know them; either a definite line of policy, or maybe, some striking outward mark. It is difficult to know what to say about M. Antoine Monis, the French senator whom President Fallieres of France has entrusted with the premiership of the fifth government to come into office since the establishment of the third republic, says the Paris correspondent of the Daily Mail.

The books of reference show M. Monis to have had a career similar to that of many other French politicians. He was a country lawyer, starting first at Cognac, where the family came from, as a barrister at law, and then as he got on, moved to Bordeaux. His transfer to the city of the Girondins was a fatal step in his career, for henceforth his destiny was to be intimately bound up with that of the great southern department of France.

For many years he was interested in the cognac industry, and his business connection gave him an advantage in financial questions in the Chamber. However, he was only in the lower House for two years, and, not being re-elected, did not ever stand again. His career led him to the Senate, and in 1891 he entered the Luxembourg palace as one of the five senators for the Girondins.

The reference books say he acted as vice-president of the Upper House a time and was on the committee of the naval commission and once introduced a bill for protecting the forests of Gascony. As a senator he frequently took part in the debates, however, and his interest in politics, coupled with his moderate views and

ward and endorsing schools and colleges.

He has thought much lately on the matter of organization and recommends a plan which will require about \$500,000 to carry out, and eventually require double that sum. This plan calls for the immediate construction of an educational building, a boys' residence, a girls' residence combined with a conservatory of music, a principal's residence and a gymnasium.

The completed plan would include a boys' residence, a junior boys' preparatory school, a girls' residence, a conservatory of music, and a specially equipped building for the study of scientific subjects in addition to the initial building programme.

The course of study is outlined as follows: "An elementary course, covering the various standards III, IV, and V, of the public schools; a college course leading to teachers' certificates and matriculation, and the first two years of university work."

Members Present. Mr. W. H. Cushing acted as chairman. The other members of the present were: Dr. Hiddell, president of Alberta College, Edmonton; Rev. Mr. Huettner, Red Deer; Dr. McEwan, Carleton Place; W. O'Connell, Calgary; Rev. C. B. Perry, Edmonton; A. J. Sayre, C. F. Adams, Dr. Scott, A. J. Sinnott, George Moffatt, O. C. Chapin, Rev. C. F. Buchanan, A. Price, Rev. Dr. McDougall, W. Hoople, E. S. Tuttle and Rev. G. W. Kerby.

his strong local position in the Girondins, combined to win him eventually the ministerial portfolio to which all French politicians aspire. In 1899 he became Minister of Justice and ex-officio vice-president of the council in the Waldeck-Rousseau cabinet, and held office for three years.

His Life a Quiet One

The senator enjoyed a high reputation for integrity and moderation, and his life has run in tranquil paths, and this fact, coupled with a certain natural reserve, his successes, results in his going into office as a man who, to the general public, is comparatively unknown. In the great position into which capricious fortune has unexpectedly thrust him he has a clean sheet on which to record his progress.

A glimpse at a statesman often teaches more than columns of data in reference books and a sight of Senator Monis corrects any notions derived from his uneventful career as to his being a dry official or a tedious professional politician. I first caught sight of him as he was walking his ways through the crowded lounge of the cosmopolitan hotel where he has his rooms in Paris to offer a polite telephone. It was the night he had formed his ministry and the pleasant hotel lounge was filled with friends, dinner folk and reporters, sipping coffee and whiskey and soda, everyone with his eyes on the life, for it was known that the new cabinet was holding its first meeting in M. Monis's apartments. Suddenly a rather thick-set, robust fellow, dressed in the crowd and walking briskly through the lounge to the reception lobby without paying any heed to the sensation his presence created. It was the new prime minister.

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Half Cash, Balance 6 and 12 months.
NORWOOD, Lot 6, Block 18 \$600
Half Cash, Balance 6 and 12 months.
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Half Cash, Balance 6 and 12 months.
NORWOOD, Lot 12, Block 61 \$350
One-Third Cash, Balance 6 and 12 months.
NORWOOD, Lot 11, Block \$1,200
One-Third Cash, Balance 6 and 12 months.
WESTGROVE, Lot 10, Block D, Block 1 \$900
Half Cash, Balance 6 and 12 months.
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H. B. R., Lots 28 1/2 feet of Lot 10, and 53 1/3 feet Lot 11 158 feet deep, Block 7, H. B. R. \$6,000
Half Cash, Balance 6 and 12 months.

NORTH DELTON, Lot 9, Block 4 \$125
Half Cash, Balance 6 and 12 months.
NORTH DELTON, Lots 11, 12, 13, Block 12, 50 by 150 ft. \$475
One-Third Cash, Balance \$125.00 and \$24.00 all cash.
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% Cash; balance 1, 2, 3 Years.

Lot 162, Block 15. Price \$1,000
\$550 Cash; balance 1, 2, 3 Years.

Double corner on Vermilion and Eleventh. Price \$3,000
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Lot 10, Block 3 on Twenty-second street, all modern conveniences. Price \$1,850
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A lot in Block 14 \$600

A lot in Block 13 \$650

A lot in Block 10 \$500

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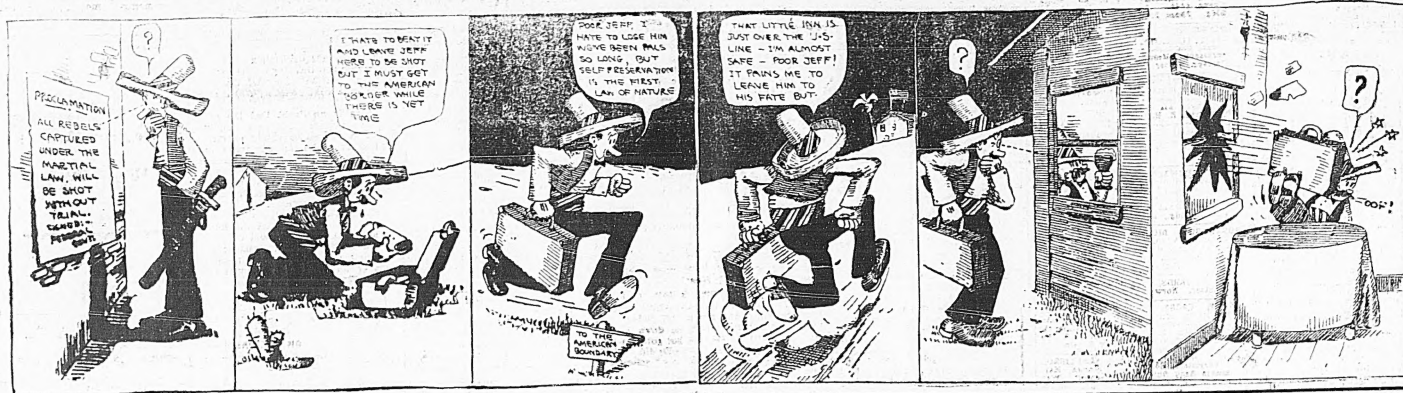
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By "Bud" Fisher



WILL REVIVE PONY POLO IN EDMONTON THIS YEAR

Great and Popular Sport Once More in Limelight and Big Meeting to Reorganize Club Will Be Held Next Monday Evening at the King Edward Hotel

Pony polo, the sport which has been described as a horse race with a hockey match thrown in and in which one rides his own horse, will be revived in Edmonton this year and will be placed on a plane of the highest popularity it has yet enjoyed in this city. A big meeting has been called for next Monday evening in the drawing room of the King Edward Hotel when the Edmonton Polo Club will be reorganized.

For four years, pony polo was very popular in this city. Play was conducted at the old race track, but two years ago, the field was torn up in parts and this did not leave sufficient room for regulation play. But this year the Exhibition Association is making a polo grounds that will be perfect in every way, with a board fence ten inches high surrounding, and this will permit of the best kind of work. Practice will commence in about a month, preliminary work being had at the old race track grounds, and it is expected that the exhibition grounds will be in readiness by May 24th. This will permit of the players getting in proper trim and preparing their horses nicely.

Edmonton now boasts of five crack polo players. Dr. A. E. Clendenan, Major Jamieson, of Berathona, Ernest Ferris, Norton Ferris and Mr. Emslie are experienced at the sport and are noted as staunch men who know the game from its every angle. In addition, there are sixteen names on the list of applicants for membership to the club and from these it is hoped to get sufficient for another team, if not two. Several players at present are without ponies and those will take in the Calgary Horse Show to make purchases of stock.

Edmonton at one time figured among the elite of the Alberta polo world. The tournament conducted here, when Buffalo Lake, Calgary and Cochrane competed, is remembered with delight by lovers of the game, and it is hoped that another tourney will be held here this year. Southern Alberta players are reputed the best in Canada. In Eastern Canada, they cleaned up everything in sight and were defeated but once. They also won twice from Winnipeg.

It is confidently hoped that Edmonton players will have had sufficient work by the time the exhibition takes place here, so as to warrant their being pitted against the cracks of Southern Alberta and this would be a rare treat.

BOOST!

BY BARNEY MULLIN.

Written expressly for The Capital.

While knockers against boxing can be found in spots where the old rule of "a was done away" was its tail until someone cuts it off," applies, there is one place where rich and poor, high and low, believers and iconoclasts look upon boxers with respect and that is in San Francisco. And well they should, for it was from members of the boxing fraternity that much funds came for the relief of the suffering, immediately following the earthquake in 1906.

The ashes from the frightful fire were not yet cold when Jim Goffredo became the busy bee and arranged for a monster benefit at Colma, his vast arena. The late Harry Corbett was the star in the matter and the way they went about boosting the affair would put circus gross agents to shame.

Jimmie Britt was there and he went on with battling Nelson, who paid his own expenses from Chicago to be on hand at the benefit. Good old Joe Gans also came on from the east, and the late Willie Smith and Billie were on hand. Eddie Hanlon, who before the earthquake owned considerable real estate, but whose fortune was wiped out, was there and he boxed. And for several weeks, these promoters of the game of delicate hopped from city to another, taking part in benefits and not receiving a penny although several of them had been badly hit and were down to bedrock as far as funds went.

To people possessed of ordinary intelligence, a knock against boxing is truly a boost, for all know the sporting men and athletes of all classes are at all times the first to come through to help the unfortunate.

FINE SHIELD DONATED TO HOTEL BASEBALL LEAGUE

Edmonton Brewing & Malting Co., Limited, to Present Championship Emblem, to Become Property of Hotel Winning Most Pennants Inside of Five Years

Recognizing the popularity that the organization is certain to attain and desirous of encouraging healthy sport among employees and guests of hotels in the city, the Edmonton Brewing & Malting Company, Limited, has announced that it will donate a handsome shield as an emblem of the championship of the Edmonton Hotel League of Baseball Clubs. Competition for the shield will be open this season and is to be played for during five years, becoming the permanent property of the hotel whose team will have won it the most times during that period. A replica shield will be given to the hotel winning the pennant in each year.

W. H. Sheppard, and William E. Lines, of the Edmonton Brewing & Malting Company, are most enthusiastic regarding the future of the Hotel League, and by their action are showing themselves strong boosters for clean sport amongst hotel people. They want to see the organization make a big success of it from the start and have announced they stand ready to lend every encouragement within their power to further the interests of the league.

"The league should be a splendid success and if our championship shield will cause the players to work just a little harder than they might otherwise, then we will have accomplished our purpose," declared Mr. Sheppard, in notifying the league's president of the handsome gift.

"We believe that a Hotel Baseball League is a rattling good idea and we are more than pleased to come forward with the donation of an emblem that will prove a suitable reward for superiority on the baseball diamond among the employees of Edmonton's most creditable institutions, the hotels," was Mr. Line's statement.

While all the managers of the Hotel League clubs are maintaining deep silence as to their prospects for the season, there is not one idle and work of conditioning has already started in earnest. At the Alberta Hotel, activity in a baseball way has been hampered to a great extent through Thomas Rookes being compelled to do strenuous duty, due to the absence of his faithful lieutenant, Carl Pinfold, who is secretary of the Hotel League, is back on the job and baseball affairs will hum from this time on. Manager Bob McDonald, of the Yale, has ordered his players out for hard workouts. Page Fisher feels confident with his Senators and Alex. Chabot has just gone to Spokane, Seattle and Tacoma to get some talent. The Pendennis is said to have a team made up of tried men, while the Queens will have the advantage of picking several good players from the Jasper House. Affairs are booming in the league and all will be ready for the opening of the season early in May.

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When the Eskimos of 1911 make their debut in Edmonton and on the road this season, they will be attired for the first time in the history of baseball here in uniforms "Made in Edmonton."

At a conference between President Frank Grey and Manager Deschamps yesterday afternoon, it was decided to give the contract for uniforms and coat sweaters to the Great Western Garment company, Limited, which has its factory on Namayo. And to show that while being patriotic, they are not superstitious, the baseball leaders gave the order for just thirteen suits of two kinds, for home and for road use. There will also be thirteen sweaters.

The Great Western Garment company, upon receiving the order, wired orders for some new patterns of excellent material and the colors to be worn this year by the Eskimos will be decided later.

There is more talk of Moose Jaw dropping out of the Western Canada

Is Too Heavy

MARTIN SHERIDAN, RECORD HOLDER IN WEIGHTS, MUST TAKE OFF TWENTY-FOUR POUNDS.

New York, Mar. 30.—Martin Sheridan, of the Irish-American Athletic club, record holder in the all-around A. A. U. championships, has started training for the coming championship struggle. Sheridan did not compete in last year's event, which was won by Thompson, the youthful California athlete. He has decided to re-enter the game this year in an effort to better his world's records.

The champion weighs about 220 pounds and will have to reduce at least to 196 pounds to be in first class shape for the big contest, which is held annually on Independence day.

Sheridan is about ready to retire from athletics. He has been in active competition for more than 10 years and feels that it is about time for him to quit.

It is probable that his last effort in this line will be at the Olympic games in Stockholm.

league, but no official notice of any such step has yet been forwarded President Eckstorn, and until this is done, it will be impossible for action to be taken. It is understood that in the event Moose Jaw retires, Saskatoon stands ready to jump in.

The management of the Edmonton team has decided upon a "Kids Day" for this season. At one of the games

MAPLE LEAFS WIN TWO.

The Maple Leafs won two out of three games from the Wanderers in the Olym Bowling League last night. The scores:

Maple Leaf.	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
McMarlin	133	180	157	470
King	150	156	156	462
Smalian	132	217	161	510
Frazer	173	159	119	451
Moody	184	185	152	521
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Wanderers.

Wanderers.	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Birt	152	129	156	437
Draper	154	126	115	395
Black	135	164	132	431
Matthews	172	165	162	499
Blackett	140	138	163	441
	756	819	751	2326

BOB SHOW AT SPRINGFIELD

Springfield, Ill., March 30.—Five hundred of the best dogs in the central west were put on show at the State Arsenal today, the occasion being the annual exhibition of the Springfield Kennel club. The show will last three days.

CALLIES MEET TO-NIGHT.

Secretary William Blisland, of the Callies Football Club, has sent out a call for a big meeting to be held at 8.30 o'clock to-night at the Separate School Hall, Third street. It is especially desired that all players and members be on hand, as business of importance is to be transacted.

Gotch Ready

Pueblo, Mar. 30.—"Georges Hackenschmidt can have some of my name at any time that he sees fit to put up a reasonable side bet. There is no need for him to go abroad looking for a match as long as I am on the job. Let him show me the color of his coin and, believe me, I will sign articles so quick it will make his head swim."

This statement was made here by Champion Frank Gotch, who was prevailed upon by statements attributed to Hack to the effect that Gotch was afraid to meet him. The champion made short work of Demetral, the Greek, throwing him easily in two straight falls.

OF ALL NATIONALITIES

Addie-Joss is a German, Bender an Indian, Walter Johnson a Swede, Walsh an Irishman, Coombs a Yankee, and Christy Matthews a Scotchman. Take your choice of the pitchers.

WILL MEET HACKENSCHMIDT ANY TIME BIG RUSSIAN POSTS A SUBSTANTIAL FORFEIT.

Manager Kelly has been instructed to order his team to report in Regina on April 23rd.

WILL MEET TO-NIGHT.

A meeting that is expected to revive interest in the national game of lacrosse will be held to-night in the City Council Chamber. The purposes of the meeting are announced as follows:

- 1.—To organize a senior lacrosse team in the city and enter it in the provincial league this season.
- 2.—To organize a school league in the city to compete for a cup which will be donated by Hon. C. W. Cross.
- 3.—To arrange about procuring suitable grounds so that the different lacrosse clubs in the city will no longer be handicapped by the lack of an athletic field.

SAN FRANCISCO BENCH SHOW

San Francisco, March 30.—The thirteenth annual bench show of the San Francisco Kennel club opened in Dreamland rink today, and will continue until the end of the week. The exhibits include several hundred dogs representing a wide variety of breeds. The showing of field trial dogs is especially good.

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In business properties, Warehouse Sites on Spur Tracks, Central Jasper Avenue and Namayo Avenue, between tracks and Boulevard, are all in demand.

In residential, there is no change to note, the demand being now constant for the usual West End Subdivisions, the H. B. Reserve, north of C. N. R. tracks, and Norwood and Delton in the East End.

In houses, we have good offering in all parts of the city, but the chief and almost the only demand is for the West End, where our list is still fairly complete. We shall, therefore, be pleased to have enquiry in this line from all desiring to secure homes of their own.

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- A double corner on Namayo avenue, with small house \$8500
- A lot on Jasper avenue, in Block 7, revenue producing \$50,000
- A double corner on Spur Track \$12,000

Residential Properties

- A nine-roomed modern house on 13th street, on full lot, north of Jasper avenue, well fitted and finished; price \$7000
- A nine-roomed 42 1-2-story, modern house, except furnace, on Sixth street, near Vermilion avenue; price \$4600
- A six-roomed modern house on Sinclair street, Norwood \$2750
- N.B.—The above snap is only open for a few days.

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COMMITTEE IS APPOINTED TO ARRANGE FOR PAGEANT PROMISES TO BE ONE OF MOST SUCCESSFUL EVENTS EVER HELD IN THE CITY—PARADE WILL BE PROMINENT FEATURE.

Discussion of the various proposals for the celebration of the Centennial of King George V. took place at a meeting held in the council chamber last evening, and a committee consisting of twenty-eight prominent citizens, representative of almost every phase of civic life, was appointed to organize a pageant and arrange all details in connection with the observance of a day which is destined to become historic in the history of Edmonton, as in that the project will be taken up with enthusiasm was manifest from the attitude of the citizens who were in attendance to give their support to the movement, and many suggestions which were brought forward for the celebration day programme, will, it may be confidently anticipated, bear fruit in an event of the first importance to the city and its celebration in Western Canada.

The committee which will have charge of the arrangements will be later divided into sub-committees to manage the various features of the programme. After Col. Edwards had read the names of the members of this committee nominated by the selection committee of the twenty-eight prominent citizens, Mr. McGeorge was called to the chair, and a full discussion of details of the scheme took place. The committee was given power to add to its members, and Mr. McGeorge, who is acting as temporary chairman, declared that it was his aim to secure representation of all societies and other organizations which will in any way participate in the celebration. There will be no direct representation of any patriotic society, as such, on the committee. "I am anxious to bury any nationality with the nationality of all other citizens of Canada," declared Mr. McGeorge, when this subject was under discussion, and no proposal to eliminate all sectional or racial feeling in connection with the event, to make it of interest and Canadian significance, rather than representative of the predominant races, met with the hearty endorsement of the meeting.

Many and varied were the suggestions brought forward, and the question of the day engaged the attention of the meeting in a considerable degree. That the day can be fittingly commemorated without an unduly lavish outlay was the opinion of many. Mr. Turner, of St. George's society, was of the opinion that a moderate entrance fee to the exhibition park, where many of the events of the day may take place, would defray a large portion of the cost. He pointed out that on one day of exhibition week last year, the gate receipts at the park were no less than \$10,000. Mr. Turner and other speakers took the view that no charge should be made in respect to any of the day's events. "This is for both rich and poor," he said. "There should be no charge for any of the amusements. It should be a day rather for those who cannot afford expensive means of enjoyment, than for others."

MINNESOTA FARMER COME TO ALBERTA

Provincial Publicity Department Brings in Many Families—400 Coming from Toronto Next Week.

Minnesota farmers are coming in large numbers to Alberta to settle this spring, according to Chief Publicity Commissioner Hothkiss.

Mr. Hothkiss has a commissioner working in Minnesota, and he has received word that numbers of families are planning to leave every day for this province.

Arrangements have practically been completed for the excursion to the west, to be run on April 4 from Montreal, Toronto and Great Falls, Mont. The excursion from Toronto will bring about 400.

The weather has been generally fair and mild over the prairie provinces. In Manitoba, it has been moderately cold. During the night, light local snowfalls have occurred.

Forecast: Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—Mostly fair, not much change in temperatures.

A few scattered showers or snow thunders.

Nelson, cloudy 45
Kamloops, cloudy 42
Edmonton, cloudy 44
Calgary, snowing 44
Lethbridge, fair 53
Medicine Hat, cloudy 46
Prince Albert, cloudy 62
Moose Jaw, snow 54
Regina, snow 31
Winnipeg, snow 39
Port Arthur, clear 33

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BENNETT FOR LEADER

Calgary, March 30.—Forecasting that a change in the leadership of the Conservative party is imminent, the News-Telegram of this city yesterday came out in favor of H. B. Bennett, K. M. L. A., assuming the mantle which would be dropped by Mr. Borden. The News-Telegram says that although Premier Melville of British Columbia is looked upon as the logical successor to Mr. Borden, that Mr. Bennett's status has not yet been considered and that the two men, the latter had the greater claim to the honor.

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which the musical numbers will be such for the celebration of the Centennial that all Canadians, whether of British or foreign blood, can join in appreciation of the programme, may be arranged by a sub-committee. For this suggestion Mr. Harford was sponsor, and it met with a favorable reception. It was suggested that a grand hall be given in the evening, and this also will be taken into consideration by the committee.

In the parade, which will form a feature of the day, the school pupils of the city will take a prominent part. Arrangements may be made to secure coronation medals for presentation to the pupils, as it is understood the school board will be willing to defray the cost. The Ninetieth Dragoons will be in camp during coronation week, but an effort is to be made to retain at least a portion of the regiment in Edmonton for June 24, and Major Jamieson will be approached to this end.

The superintendent of Chinese schools in the city declared that funds would be forthcoming from Chinese residents, to maintain their portion of the cost of the celebration. "The Chinese," he said, "were loyal to the King who is ruling over them now. They wanted to know what other peoples of non-British origin—Germans and Americans—were willing to do to show their pride in Canadian citizenship."

Mr. Clappert, and other members of the Irish Association, declared that the Irishmen of Edmonton would be among the most enthusiastic workers for the success of the celebration, but no association—English, Scotch, Irish or Welsh—will have distinctive representation upon the organization committee. In closing the meeting Mr. McGeorge, who is acting as chairman pro tem, declared that he did not think so large a sum as \$15,000 need be spent upon the celebration by the city. If a large sum is to be spent, it were better to establish something substantial—King George fund for the Children's Aid Society, for instance. In common with other speakers, Mr. McGeorge was of the opinion that the cost of the celebration should be borne by the ratepayers at large. The fair way of providing funds was to obtain them from the ratepayers through general taxation.

The committee of twenty-eight, which will select the larger committees, is as follows: Jas. McGeorge, ex-president of the board of trade; G. H. Smith, G. W. Chapman, A. C. Fraser, Edward Glen, Chas. Watson, J. C. Dowsett, T. H. Wilson, P. Lessard, J. E. Lundy, H. Hill, Martin, W. H. Clark, W. G. Gandy, J. W. Gould, B. M. McGowan, J. J. Anderson, T. M. Turnbull, Robt. Lee, R. J. Mansson, R. C. Watson, Chas. Brown, president of the Trades and Labor Council, John McFie, Chas. May, J. H. Morris, Dan Smith, P. E. Butcher, J. Travis Barker, T. W. Ling.

SAYS WELLS ARE MENACE TO HEALTH

Health Officer is in Favor of Extending City Water Service to Fraser's Flats.

That the wells upon Fraser's Flats, from which the water supply of this district is derived, constitute a danger to public health, was the opinion expressed this morning to the Capital by Dr. Whitlaw, medical officer of health. Dr. Whitlaw was of the opinion that immediate steps should be taken to remedy the condition of affairs, and today he is taking the matter up with A. Latour, city engineer. At the present time almost all the water supply is obtained from the various wells of the locality. "None of these are above suspicion," said the doctor this morning. "A man who recently took up residence on Fraser's Flats, discovering the condition of the nearest well, has for the last few weeks been using a cask of water from a well which is considered to be fairly pure, taking the additional precaution of boiling all the water before use."

One of the chief dangers, Dr. Whitlaw pointed out, lies in the failure of the residents of the Flats to realize the necessity of obtaining pure water. The water carts do not serve this district, the grade being a heavy one, but if the people of Fraser's Flats were to unite to obtain a pure water supply, the difficulty would be removed. It is not now apparent that a sufficient revenue could be obtained by watermen to make their service pay.

The abolition of the sanitary pal system, is the cause of additional danger to the people of this district. Since the system has been abolished pits have been resorted to, in the absence of a sewer system, and the urgency of water reform is greater today than it has ever been before.

Dr. Whitlaw suggests that a water pipe might be laid down one of the Fraser's Flats street, from a tankpipe, and that there should be given an opportunity to draw from this pipe to meet their needs. A small quantity of coal oil poured into well would make the water unpalatable, and induce residents who might otherwise be inclined to take the well water on faith, to abandon it in favor of a pure supply.

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NEWS OF THE CITY

The Ladies' Aid of Wesley Methodist Church are holding a sale of work and home-made cooking in the old McDonald Church this afternoon. Tea will be served in the afternoon and at the supper hour.

Fred Houston, convicted by Judge Taylor in the district court yesterday of keeping a disorderly house, will come up for trial tomorrow on a more serious charge. He was remanded for sentence yesterday.

This morning dismissing the action for specific performance of an option on city property, brought by Evans and Ferris against Alex. Bunnell. Judgment was handed down by Mr. Justice Simmonds in the Supreme Court this morning.

The funeral of Daniel Noyes will be held from the undertaking parlors of Kennedy and McKinley in the Edmonton cemetery at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

An article in one of the local papers yesterday to the effect that John Burns, of Sedgewick, was dead, has upon further inquiry, been found to be incorrect.

After a hearing in the police court this morning, of the charge of fraudulent conversion of \$30, money collected by Everett Martin in behalf of another party, in respect to distress, Magistrate Cowan adjourned the case until tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

The charge is laid by Constable Beals. "I was trying this case I would dismiss the action right off," said the magistrate this morning.

DANIEL NOYES DEAD

Daniel E. Noyes, founder of Noyes Crossing, and a prominent resident of the Edmonton district, died yesterday after an illness extending from November, 1910. Mr. Noyes was born at Chittenden, Vermont, November 1838. He left that place in 1858 for the California gold mines, going by way of Panama. In 1866 he came to Edmonton and two years later married Miss Adelaide V. Brazeau, daughter of the Hudson's Bay co's chief officer in the district. In 1872 he was engaged at the Jasper House in the Rocky mountains building boats, but later he returned to establish a logging camp between Edmonton and St. Albert.

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101st Edmonton Fusiliers.

The annual training of the regiment will commence on Tuesday evening, April 10, 1911, at 7.15 o'clock and will be continued at the same hour on Tuesday and Friday evenings of each week until further orders.

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ATTACK BLAGOVIESHTCHENSK

St. Petersburg, March 30.—A rumor was current tonight that the Chinese had surrounded and were attacking Blagovieshtchensk, capital of the Amur province, on the Amur river, in Asiatic Russia.



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One lot in east half of Block 33 \$2,000
1/2 Cash; balance 6 and 12 months.
Lot 10, Block 19 \$2,000
1/2 Cash; balance 6 and 12 months.
Lots 9 and 10, Block 33 \$3,800
1/2 Cash; balance 6 and 12 months.

NAMAYO

Three lots in Block 9, Price each \$800
1/2 Cash, balance 6 and 12 months.
Lot 15, Block 11, Price \$1,100
1/2 Cash; balance 6 and 12 months.
Lot 4, Block 10, Price \$1,000
1/2 Cash; balance 6 and 12 months.
Lot 4, Block "A", Price \$1,200
1/2 Cash; balance 6 and 12 months.

TWELFTH STREET

Lot 125 and 126, Block 12, H. B. Reserve, Price \$4,200
1/2 Cash, balance 6 and 12 months.

TRUCKAGE PROPERTY

Corner lot in Block 3, H. B. Reserve, Price \$14,000
\$5,000 Cash, balance 1 & 2 years.
Lot 128, Block 8, H. B. Reserve, Price \$6,000
1/2 Cash; balance 6 and 12 months.

HOUSE BUYERS

Modern 8 roomed brick house, west side of Eighth street between Athabasca and Peace \$7,500
\$4,000 cash, balance 1, 2, 3 years.
Eleven roomed, fully modern house, Northview, Price \$6,000
1/2 Cash; balance arranged.
Eight roomed modern house on Heimlich street, just east of Namayo, Price \$3,500
\$1,200 cash, balance 6 & 12 months.
Modern house, No. 1919 Jasper avenue, Price \$7,500
\$4,000 Cash; balance to suit.

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- 7 Lots, Block 14, each \$950
- Third Cash, 1, 2, 3 Years.
- 2 Lots, Block 15, each \$950
- Third Cash, 1, 2, 3 Years.

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GLENORA

- 7 Lots, Block 65, \$525
- Easy Terms
- 5 Lots, Block 60 \$900
- Third Cash, bal. 6, 12, 18 Mos.
- All of Block 31 \$8,000
- Easy Terms
- 3 Lots, Block 58, for 3 \$1,800
- 1/2 Cash.

INGLEWOOD

- 3 Lots, 1 corner. Block 47, for three \$2,400

HEMPRIGGS

- 2 Lots, Block 7, size of lots 33250 feet, each. \$240
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Small house and lot on Clara street \$1,875

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- 1 Lot, Block 131 \$3,000
- 4 Lots, Block 178, Carneau, each \$800

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